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THE COWARD

At about 2 o'clock on a raw, blustery March morning the inhabitants of the little village of Shickshinny, on the upper Susquehanna, were roused from sleep by hoarse shouts and by the violent ringing of the church bell. Men and boys dressed in haste, and a crowd soon congregated on the river shore.

There was good cause for excitement. The ice, which seemed comparatively firm on the previous evening, had broken during the night. The yellow tide, already swollen to many feet above its normal level, was almost hidden by the heaving, grinding cakes.

And, worst of all, this unexpected event had placed an unknown human being in peril. From Scrub Island came hoarse shouts for help and at intervals the discharge of a gun. The red flashes could be plainly seen.

Scrub Island lay in midchannel directly opposite the village. It was hardly more than a bar, for nothing grew upon it but bushes. Near the lower end was a small cabin, which some of the village boys built for amusement out of driftwood. Here the castaway had probably taken refuge, and his situation was extremely critical. In a short time the cabin would surely be carried off by the rising flood and ice.

As the crowd were speculating on the unknown one's identity and discussing the hopelessness of rescue Squire Tyson, the most wealthy and influential man of the village, came running down the shore.

"Jasper is on the island," he cried, wringing his hands in agony. "He went over this afternoon to shoot ducks and has not returned home. He must have fallen asleep in the cabin, and the ice has carried away his boat. Will no one save my poor boy? Are you all cowards?"

The unhappy man grasped a boat that lay bottom up on the shore and tried to drag it into the water.

Half a dozen men caught and held him.

"You will only throw your life away," they cried. "No boat could move a dozen yards in that ice. We could save your boy if there was any chance at all."

The squire suddenly realized that this was true. He stood gazing mutely toward the island, his face rigid with despair. A groan of pity burst from the crowd as another gunshot was heard, followed by hoarse appeals for help. The tide rose higher and higher, but now clear spots were visible here and there, and all at once the river seemed to become free of ice.

The meaning of this was plain. The ice had formed a gorge somewhere up stream. Here seemed a chance of rescue, but no one was willing to take advantage of it. The crowd knew by past experience that the gorge would likely break in a moment or two, and then the freed ice would sweep everything before it like an avalanche. In vain the squire appealed to them. In vain the poor boy on the island cried for help. Not a man would risk what seemed certain death.

Suddenly a stoutly built lad of sixteen separated from the throng, and, running up the shore a few yards, he hauled a light skiff into the water. He seized the oars that lay in the bottom and pulled steadily into the swirling current, heading in a diagonal course up stream.

A simultaneous cry of amazement burst from the crowd. Some cheered the daring lad; others warned him back.

"God bless him!" cried the squire, bursting into tears.

Indeed Curt Webb was the last one any person would have believed capable of such a brave deed. He was an orphan and worked hard for a livelihood in a grocery store. The village boys, headed by Jasper Tyson, despised and hated him because he had persistently refused to join any of their mischievous depredations. He could never be induced to fight his tormentors, though Jasper and others dared him to combat many a time. So the boys gratified their malice by calling him the "coward," and by this epithet he was known in the village.

But the "coward" was surely astonishing his enemies now, and his progress was watched with breathless interest. No one expected to see him come back alive.

Steadily the boat crept toward the island. Curt bent to the oars with all his might and managed to hold his own against the fierce current. Occasionally he glanced over his shoulder and was relieved to see no trace of approaching ice. The shore soon faded from view, and as he neared the island he shouted cheerily to give notice of his approach. Jasper shouted back and fired a bunch of grass to guide his rescuer.

The water had already reached the cabin, and just as Curt swung the boat into the little eddy behind it he heard a grinding noise up the

river and saw a white mass looming into view. The gorge had broken, and the ice was coming down with sweeping force.

Jasper stood in the cabin door, and when the flaming wisp of grass showed him the face of his rescuer, he blushed with shame.

"You!" he exclaimed, and that single word spoke volumes.

"Don't stop to talk," cried Curt hurriedly. "Jump in. Here comes the ice, and we have a slim chance of dodging it."

Too late. Even as Jasper sprang to the boat the water heaved and tossed, and the rumble of the dread avalanche deepened to a roar. Half a dozen cakes of ice swirled by, rising and falling with the waves.

Curt pulled straight down stream, while his companion crouched in the stern of the boat, helpless with terror. But the race could end in only one way. The line of broken ice came grinding on like a race horse, growing with fury.

It smashed the cabin to fragments and sped after the frail little craft that was striving so hard to escape. Jasper cried out with terror and held his hands before his face to shut out the awful sight.

Curt stuck to his oars, but he knew nevertheless that escape was out of the question. His brave heart sickened at the thought of what would happen when the crashing ice cakes reached the boat.

Suddenly he saw something that roused a glimmer of hope. Twenty yards toward the left shore and slightly in advance of the avalanche floated a huge tree, evidently torn bodily from the soil. Its broad end, bristling with snakelike roots, was turned down stream, and here and there it thrust out thick limbs that served to steady it like outriggers on a boat.

The opportunity was a good one, for the tree looked sufficiently strong and massive to hold its own against the turbulent ice. If the castaways could reach it, they stood a fair chance of escaping death. Curt's resolve was instantly formed. He roused Jasper from his stupor of fear and briefly explained what he intended to do.

"Now!" cried Curt.

Jasper caught the dangling roots and pulled himself to a place of safety. An agile spring landed Curt beside him, and the next instant the boat was whirled off into the gloom. As the lad crept higher up the trunk Jasper slipped and was precipitated into the water. In his struggles to keep from sinking he seized one of the roots and clung to it frantically, calling for help.

At the risk of his life Curt crawled down and with some difficulty rescued his companion. They lost no time in choosing positions among the heavy limbs and then had barely settled themselves when down the shock came.

The towering masses of ice surged around the tree, burying the trunk from sight at times and rocking it to and fro like a cradle. The peril was frightful and imminent for half an hour. The boys were beyond the reach of the ice, however, and happily the outriggers prevented the tree from rolling over.

The night wore on, and when it broke the tree stranded on one of the piers of the Catawissa bridge. Willing hands rescued the castaways with ropes, and when they had recovered from their exposure they were sent home by rail, whether the glad news had already preceded them.

It need hardly be said that Curt was never called a coward again.

Flowers Can Hate.

According to a French scientist, flowers are endowed with passions like human beings, and there are few among them which cannot love and hate fervently.

"They have their sympathies and antipathies," he explains, "and if we study them closely we can easily find them out. Roses are passionately fond of some flowers and flourish when near them. On the other hand, they speedily wither when placed near other flowers, and we must infer that it is because the latter are not congenial to them. Heliotropes and violets have a lively sympathy for each other, and in like manner there seems to be a warm friendship between pansies and carnations."

"If it can be proved that flowers can love and hate," says a German writer commenting on this statement, "it ought not to be difficult to prove that they have souls."

Willing to Divide.

A Hartford lawyer tells of a client in one of the adjoining towns who had a farm to sell. He had recently sunk a well on it, and the job cost a sum, consequently when he talked of disposing of his property the well caused him considerable anxiety. "How much do you ask for the farm?" the lawyer asked.

"Waal, I'll tell yer," drawled the farmer, "I'll sell the place for \$700 with the well, and I'll let it go for \$600 without the well."

KLEPTOMANIAC BIRDS.

The Ravens of India and the Satin Birds of Australia.

The magpie has long been notorious for stealing things, but he is a saint compared to some Asiatic birds. The ravens which abound in Indian cities steal by wholesale and take anything they can lay their beaks on, whether they can make use of it or not. Jerdon, an English writer, says that in some places every house is surrounded by a flock of these winged robbers on the lookout for booty. They fly in at the windows, rummage workbaskets and carry off gloves and handkerchiefs. They even open tin packages and examine their contents. According to another observer, they have been known to extract nails. A pleasure party assembled in a garden were startled by seeing a bloody knife fall in their midst. A raven had stolen it from the kitchen and dropped it among the merry-makers.

The Australian satin birds are more discriminating and take only objects suitable for the establishment of their nests. Among their specialties are gaudy parrot feathers, shells, bright pebbles and whitened bones. The feathers are for the interior of the nest, while the other objects are arranged about its entrance. The natives are so well acquainted with this habit that when an amulet or a pipe is missed it is sought and generally found in the nest of the satin bird.

Another notable collector is the arbor bird, which inhabits parts of the interior of Australia which the foot of man seldom treads. This bird builds long arbors of twigs thatched with grass and secures them against being blown away by weighting them with stones built in at regular intervals both in the walls and in the roof. These dwellings are decorated with shells and white bones, a heap of which is also deposited at each end. These arbors are shelters and for resting only, not breeding nests, and the shells and bones (must be for ornament) can serve an esthetic purpose only. The birds are grain feeders, and their shelters are often remote from ponds or streams, so that the collection of shells entails a good deal of labor.

A Kiss Tax.

The ancient town of Hungerford, in England, is the scene of a curious fete each year on the first Tuesday after Easter. Under a primeval and time honored arrangement the authorities exact a toll from every male and female inhabitant within certain boundaries, the masculine tax being one penny and the female levy a sound kiss. Two burly head-les, carrying massive wands of office, proceed from house to house levying these quaint taxes, and it is recognized on the day in question any youth may with impunity embrace any maiden whom he encounters.

The result is that a veritable carnival of osculation takes place yearly in Hungerford, and it attracts various visitors to the quaint little town, many of whom participate, though not entitled to do so, in the delights of the day.

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1.50	" " "	1.38
1.75	" " "	1.48
2.00	" " "	1.78
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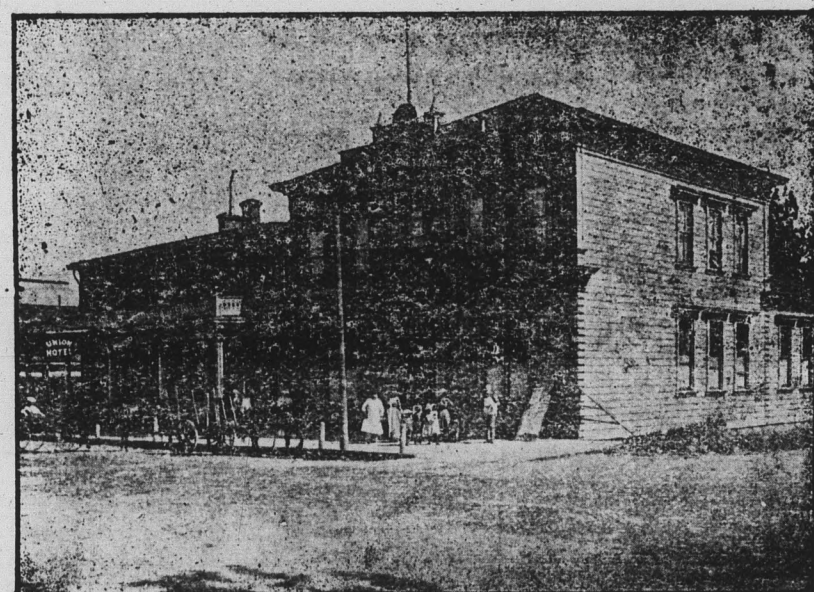
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SONOMA, JANUARY 31, 1903.
H. H. GRANICE - EDITOR

THE STORM AND CROPS.

The recent storm was the heaviest of the season. On Tuesday morning the wind reached a velocity of between forty and fifty miles an hour. It was a south-easter and blew in a tremendous tide from San Pablo Bay. Fortunately the wind shifted to the northwest before noon, else the waters would surely have been forced over the levees at Reclamation, Tubbs Island and other reclaimed lands bordering on Sonoma and Petaluma creeks.

Old Boreas and Jupiter Pluvius joined forces and for a time made things fairly howl in the exposed and southern portions of the valley. In the upper part of the valley the storm was not so severe though the downpour was very heavy Monday night and Tuesday morning.

The rain was very beneficial to farmers and stockmen. It started the seed in many grain fields and in others helped the young grain along amazingly. Pasturage also received an impetus and feed is now plentiful on all our dairy ranches. So far rain has fallen when it could do the most good and in consequence there will be an increased acreage and a heavy yield of cereals in the Sonoma Valley this season.

Year by year electricity is becoming a more important factor in operating trains. Great strides have lately been made in perfecting the apparatus so that a strong ray of light (almost equal in power to that of a searchlight) can be thrown a thousand feet ahead of the engine. All this means more comfort for the engineers and firemen on the night runs and greater safety for the passengers. A small dynamo is fixed on top of the engine and operated by steam from the boiler. It is under instant control from the cab. Electric headlights are now used on most of the passenger engines on the Santa Fe main line trains. A large number of engines on the New Mexico division of that line have recently been equipped with this simple device for turning night into day.

A RESIDENT of Santa Rosa was fined \$5 the other day by Police Judge Bagley for allowing his chickens to trespass on a neighbor's premises. The *Press Democrat* says that other prosecutions will follow in different parts of that city where chickens have been allowed by their owners to stray and do mischief.

J. E. OLMSTEAD of the Petaluma *Argus* is said to have been slated for Postmaster of that city. The present Postmaster, J. L. Dinwiddie, it is further reported, will be removed to make way for the appointee in the prospective.

A BILL has been passed by the Legislature extending the open season for ducks to February 15th. It is now in the hands of the Governor. If it receives his signature it will become effective to-morrow. If not the open season closes to day.

THE WINTER ROUTE EAST.

An erroneous impression prevails that because the Rocky Mountains have a high elevation, the winter climate is cold and snowy. The fact is the average precipitation of moisture during the entire year is less than fifteen inches, the danger from snow blockades on the railroads very slight. This is especially true of the Denver & Rio Grande. Over which System travel has gone with less interruption for the past ten winters than upon the majority of lines popularly supposed to be free from such delays.

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SUPERIOR COURT NOTES

MATTERS IN BOTH THE DEPARTMENTS OF THE SUPERIOR COURT MONDAY.

Accounts Settled and Estates Distributed.

In Judge Seawell's department of the Superior Court on Monday the following matters were on the calendar:

The final account of the estate of L. W. Walker was settled and distribution ordered of the property. The matter of the estate of J. Siebelster was transferred to Department Two.

These matters were continued: Estates of May L. Merchant, Richard Tomlin, David Callaway, Mary Rambo, to February 2.

The citation was dismissed in the estate of Catherine O'Reilly.

The widow of Samuel Brown of Petaluma was granted a family allowance of \$400 a month.

An order was made discharging the administrator in the estate of Gustaf de Bruyne.

Ten days was allowed the plaintiff to amend the complaint in the action of Watson vs. Kahler.

The cases of Gugliemetti vs. Barry, Gagliardo vs. Gagliardo, Belvair vs. Belvair, McConathy vs. Sink, and Yordi vs. Yordi to February 2; Meeker vs. Schuster to January 27.

In Judge Burnett's department the motion to strike out was denied and the demurrer was overruled in the action of Ida N. Simonton against Charles E. Simonton. Six days were allowed to answer.

A decree establishing notice to creditors was made in the estate of Mrs. Rebecca Lowry.

These matters were continued: Pollitz & Co. vs. Mrs. C. Wickerham to February 9; Risk vs. Kerrison, Fishermans Bay Co. vs. McMillen, Hargreaves vs. Hargreaves, Adcock vs. Adcock, to February 2.

The case of the People vs. C. W. Carlton was continued to February 2.

N. Bianchini was arraigned on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon. A demurrer was interposed and overruled and the case was set for trial on February 17.

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Free Vegetable Seeds.

U. S. Senator Perkins has forwarded to this office from Washington one hundred packages of vegetable seeds for free distribution. Each package contains samples of radish, lettuce, watermelon, beet and tomato seed. Those of our readers who desire a package of these seeds will be given the same on application at this office.

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THE CHEERFUL IDIOT

And the Glum Dyspeptic.

The cheerful idiot is the individual who when he sees you come into the house dripping from the storm inquires pleasantly, "Is it raining?" If you are whittling and the knife slipped and cut off the top of a finger he would say just as pleasantly, "Did you cut yourself?" It seems the chief business in the life of the cheerful idiot to ask fool questions. Mostly people put up with him as they do with mosquitoes—because they can't help themselves. But once in a while the cheerful idiot runs up against the wrong man. It was that way when the C. I. of the boarding house tackled a



miserable looking fellow-boarder who was tortured by dyspepsia. "Hello Smith," he cried, "aren't you feeling well?" And Smith growled back: "It's none of your business how I'm feeling." Talk about adding insult to injury! What could be any worse than asking a man who had suffering stamped all over him, "Aren't you feeling well?"

It's rather hard for the dyspeptic to make a stranger to the disease understand just how much suffering dyspepsia can cause. Words don't express it. That terrible gnawing sensation in the stomach is past description. Even after you have recited the specific aches and pains there are no terms to express the cumulative and combined effects of them all upon both mind and body.

DON'T CULTIVATE DYSPEPSIA.

That would seem unnecessary advice, yet it is a fact that in the main, people who finally become dyspeptics seem to have studied how quickest to bring on the disease. They eat irregularly. They eat unwholesome or unnutritious foods. They eat heartily when they are tired with a day's work and the stomach needs rest instead of exercise. In fact if they made a study of the quickest way to dyspepsia or disease of the stomach in general and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition, they could not practice more successful methods.

When dyspepsia once has its grip on the stomach the man who has experienced with tablets and powders and other palliatives without permanent relief finds himself asking the question, "Am I ever going to be well again so that I can eat with appetite and enjoyment?"

The one necessity to the recovery of health is the cure of the diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. Tablets of soda, mint, etc., will for the moment alter the condition in the stomach, but they won't alter the condition of the stomach itself. These things are therefore merely palliatives. Not only do they not cure but by affording temporary relief they lull the victim into a false security until he probably finds himself some day very much worse for their use.

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Mr. Ned Nelson, the Irish Comedian and Mimic of 577 Royden Street, Camden, N. J., writes: "We fulfilled an engagement of twelve weeks and the constant traveling gave me a bad touch of that dreaded disease called dyspepsia. I had tried everything possible to cure it till last week while playing at B. E. Keith's Bijou Theatre, Philadelphia, in the Nelson Trio, a professional friend of mine advised me to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I tried it, and, thank God, with good results."

For three years I suffered untold agony," writes Mrs. H. R. White, of Stanstead, Stanstead Co., Quebec (Box 115). "I would have spells of trembling and being sick at my stomach, pain in right side all the time; then it would work up into my stomach, and—such distress it is impossible to describe. I wrote to the World's Dispensary Medical Association, stating my case to them, and they very promptly answered and told me what to do. I took eight bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Pellets. Thanks to Dr. Pierce and his medicine I am a well woman to-day. Dr. Pierce's medicines also cured my mother of liver complaint from which she had been a sufferer for fifteen years. We highly recommend these medicines to all suffering people."

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It has been a surprise to many people who have taken "Golden Medical Discovery" for stomach "trouble," to find that as the stomach was cured diseases of long standing which had affected other organs were cured also. The "weak" heart becomes strong, the sluggish liver active, the clogged kidneys are cleansed, the lungs made sound. The whole body is practically renewed, built up with firm, healthy flesh, and not puffed up with flabby fat.

Some dealers desiring to make the little more profit paid by the sale of less meritorious medicines will sometimes offer the customer a substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery," claiming it to be "just as good." Nothing is just as good for you which has not just as good a record of cures, and no other medicine has a record of cures comparable with those effected by the use of "Golden Medical Discovery."

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Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, containing over a thousand large pages and more than 700 illustrations is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. If you don't feel the need of this valuable medical work yourself, why not give it to some friend or young married couple. It is an invaluable gift, and one which will be highly appreciated by the recipient. Send 31 one-cent stamps for the volume in durable cloth-binding, or only 21 stamps for the book in paper covers. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

NOTICE!

Notice is hereby publicly given that all quotations made by us are on a strictly cash basis.

Parties of approved standing may have credit as heretofore but they cannot in fairness expect to buy so cheaply as those who pay cash.

Wishing all a Happy and prosperous New Year.

F. DUHRING

Jan. 1st, 1903.

CALIFORNIA NORTHWESTERN RAILWAY.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Those who have not taken boarders in the past but wish to do so this present season will please advise us not later than February 9th. In sending information please state the name of the place, the proprietor, postoffice address, name of railroad station, distance therefrom, and as to whether or no guests will be met at the depot; the attractions and surroundings in detail, the number that can be accommodated, the terms for adults and for children per week, and if there be any special rates for families or parties. This information is desired for publication in our issue of "Vacation, 1903," for which no charge will be made.

Many people like to sleep in tents. If these are to be supplied, please mention it and also what difference, if any, in the price of board there will be on account of sleeping in tents.

CAMPING

Many of our people are so fixed that they cannot accommodate boarders, but have desirable locations for campers.

Camping is becoming more popular every season and amongst our very best people. Choice spots where families or parties can be by themselves will be in demand, and for which a reasonable charge can be secured.

In giving information please follow the form given above for summer boarders. Campers will want milk, cream, butter, eggs, poultry, fruit and vegetables, and if these can be furnished on the farm please mention it. Do not forget to add "running water," if there be any convenient, as half a day's work with a few sacks of dirt will make a pool for the daily bath.

Must have the information not later than February 9th, 1903, in order to advertise it in our "Vacation, 1903," and for which no charge will be made.

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Town lots in Sonoma, 50x150, or any frontage and depth desired. Facing on South side of Napa street west of First-street west.

Lots 50x150 from \$250 to \$300, according to location. Apply to the owner, L. Quartaroli, or to

H. H. GRANICE,
Real Estate Agent.

WANTED—TRUSTWORTHY MEN and women to travel and advertise for old established house of solid financial standing. Salary \$7200 a year and expenses, all payable in cash. No canvassing required. Give references and enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Address Manager, 865 Caxton Bldg., Chicago.

WANTED—A TRUSTWORTHY GENTLEMAN or lady in each county to manage business for an old established house of solid financial standing. A straight, bona fide weekly salary of \$18 paid by check each Wednesday with all expenses direct from headquarters. Money advanced for expenses. Manager, 310 Caxton Building, Chicago.

SONOMA, JANUARY 31, 1903.

CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

BRIEF MENTION

Straw for sale. Apply to H. Rubke, Schellville.

Hunting notices printed at this office. The very latest form.

Doors, windows, blinds, etc., at John Cavanagh's lumber yard, East Petaluma.

The City Trustees meet next Wednesday evening in regular monthly session.

M. Muldry has had some artistic signs painted on the outside of his liquor establishment.

G. De Bernardi, the stone mason, has finished the stone foundation for Mr. and Mrs. L. Quartaroli's new hotel on Napa street.

Wanted—A good full-blooded bronze gobbler not over two years old; or half bronze and half black. Apply at this office.

Leave your bicycles at the Electric Light power house and have them repaired night or day. Prices reasonable. Work first class.

Humboldt shingles, shakes, lath, mouldings and mill work at John Cavanagh's lumber yard, Washington street, East Petaluma. Money saved by sending your orders there.

Humboldt redwood and Oregon pine lumber at John Cavanagh's lumber yard, Washington street, East Petaluma. Laid down in the Sonoma Valley for less than San Francisco prices.

Supervisor Blair Hart rode through the valley Wednesday on a tour of inspection after the big storm of Tuesday which was the heaviest of the season. He found, however, that the roads suffered little damage.

F. Peters, of the firm of F. De Ferreri & Co., the Montgomery avenue jewelers doing business at 217-219, was in town Thursday and paid this office a pleasant call. Mr. Peters will please accept our thanks for one of the most beautiful and artistic calendars ever issued in the metropolis.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

And Other Matters of Local Interest.

Mrs. O. B. Shaw visited Petaluma friends last Monday.

Mrs. G. Schell has gone to Oakland to visit her mother.

Mrs. J. Watt and daughter visited in San Francisco last Saturday.

Miss Dora Howe is spending a two weeks' vacation at Eden Dale.

L. Quartaroli transacted business in San Francisco last Wednesday.

J. P. McDonell, editor of the semi-weekly Times of Sebastopol, was in town Sunday.

The High School dancing party will take place in Union Hall next Friday evening.

Mrs. L. H. Green spent several days of this week visiting San Francisco relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcucci of Embarcadero spent several days in San Francisco this week.

Will Ashe of Glen Ellen was in town Wednesday and paid this office a pleasant call.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Carr, formerly of this place, are contemplating the erection of a cottage at Tiburon.

Miss Alice Church took Saturday's train for the metropolis, where she will visit her sister Mrs. Spaulding.

Will Appleton came up from San Francisco Saturday evening for a week's visit with his relatives in this place.

Little Miss Florence Green visited at the Gordonker home in Glen Ellen Saturday while her mother was in the metropolis.

H. G. Maxwell and Frank Weems took part in San Rafael's musical treat given by the Orchestral Society Tuesday evening.

The social given by the Congregational Church choir on Friday night of last week brought out a large crowd of young people.

Mr. and Mrs. Carr have sold their Sonoma home to Mr. and Mrs. Huason of San Francisco who will improve the property by the erection of a new residence.

J. P. Rodgers, the well known lawyer of Petaluma, who has been dangerously ill the past three months, is said to be steadily improving. Several times during his illness his life was despaired of. Mr. Rodgers' many Sonoma Valley friends will rejoice to know he is out of danger.

IMPORTANT CONFERENCE.

Proposition to Improve the Service of the Sonoma Electric Light Company.

There will be a conference between the directors of the Central California Gas and Electric Power Company and the directors of the Sonoma Electric Light Company next week in regard to the latter securing its power from the big wires of the former company.

Should the Sonoma Electric Light Company succeed in making satisfactory arrangements with the Central California for the necessary power, a transformer will be put in and the service in all probability be extended to El Verano, Agua Caliente, Eldridge and Glen Ellen. Of course this latter proposition will hinge upon the inducements that may be held out by the people of the upper part of the valley for an extension of the service up their way.

The directors of the Sonoma Electric Light Company, although hampered the past year by a majority of the Board of City Trustees, who, to gratify a personal spite—we refer more particularly to Trustees Britenbach and Poppe—are going right ahead as though those two worthies never existed.

At first it was thought that the loss of the patronage of the city would necessitate the closing down of the plant—the only up-to-date public improvement in the town—and it would, too, had the eight local stockholders comprising the company been less enterprising. Notwithstanding the opposition of these two Trustees, who have made themselves the laughing stock of the intelligent portion of the community, the service of the Sonoma Electric Light Co. has been kept up.

If this service has not been as good as it ought to be no blame should be attached to the stockholders. With the proper encouragement from the City Trustees the service would have been improved right along. But this encouragement was not only withheld but an effort has been made by two obstreperous City Trustees to compel the plant to shut down and drive the company out of business.

But the Sonoma Electric Light Company is still very much in evidence. It is true the venture so far has been a losing one to its stockholders in so far as dividends are concerned, but they have been more than content to stand the loss rather than abandon an enterprise that would throw the town backward for many years to come. But notwithstanding the many drawbacks that the company has encountered it has pursued the even tenor of its way and now proposes to extend its lighting service and make its stockholders independent of the whims and caprices of the two aforementioned cranky Trustees and others of their ilk who may in the future be elected to mismanage the public affairs of Sonoma.

This will necessitate the expenditure of much money, but it will be done if the necessary power can be secured from the Central California. If power cannot be secured from this source the present service will be improved with a duplicate gasoline engine and dynamo for town service and the people between Sonoma and Glen Ellen will be compelled to wait awhile for an electric lighting service.

The demand for electric lights in Sonoma is steadily increasing, much to the chagrin of the few pull-backs in the town, who hate public improvements of all kinds and who are aptly represented on the Board of City Trustees by Messrs. Poppe and Breitenbach. This increased demand for electric lights in our business houses and private dwellings has compelled our local electric light company to make an effort to improve its service.

The present stockholders in the company are composed of the following local taxpayers and property owners: F. T. Dubring, Mrs. Minna Leiding, F. Cleve estate, C. Aguilon, Mrs. Martinoni, H. H. Granice, J. Fochetti and G. Chelini.

To Teach the Violin and Cornet.

Prof. Herman Schieck, the well-known teacher of the violin and cornet, contemplates forming a class in this place in a short time. Prof. Schieck is a student of Mayor E. E. Schmitz and Prof. W. Mahood, both of whom are noted musicians of San Francisco. Prof. Schieck has a fine music class in Petaluma and is spoken of very highly as a teacher of the violin and cornet. The class in this place will be formed some time next month.

The Daily Chronicle and Index-Tribune \$9.00 per year.

Glen Ellen

From Chappie

The Dunbar school re-opens next Monday. Miss Jennings, the former teacher, will officiate.

Mr. Gallagher and wife, who have for many years very successfully run the Hotel Langham of San Francisco, spent Saturday and Sunday in this burg, the guests of Dr. C. C. O'Donnell and wife at their beautiful home Cozy Castle.

Miss Lottie Howard and her sister Miss Kurtz returned home last Tuesday evening from their visit with friends in Oakland and San Francisco. Miss Howard commences her school duties in Glen Ellen next Monday. She is a very popular teacher and her services have been secured for the coming year.

Mrs. E. M. Gander is in San Francisco attending Mr. Gander's mother, who a short time ago accidentally fell and injured herself seriously. The aged lady is eighty-six years old and a most remarkable woman—a descendant of the old Knickerbocker stock. Last November she and her husband celebrated the sixty-eighth anniversary of their marriage. She is a lady of great intelligence and a most agreeable and entertaining companion. Her reminiscences of early days and people are spicy and interesting. She possesses the faculty of growing old gracefully.

Sure enough we are going to have a brick yard in this burg before many moons. A company has been formed to put in the plant and \$40,000 guaranteed by San Francisco capitalists to go ahead with the work. Before long Glen Ellen will be a place of great importance. The brick yard will give employment to between fifty and a hundred men. An inexhaustible supply of the finest kind of clay for brick-making purposes has been discovered on Dr. C. C. O'Donnell's ranch. When this new industry is in operation things will be a booming in this burg. Dr. O'Donnell is the man to see that things are pushed ahead here. His interest in the prosperity of Glen Ellen is unflagging.

Our butcher, A. E. Gaige, is the autocrat of Glen Ellen. He lives in the biggest house the town boasts of, does the biggest business and is a prominent member of the Congregational Church. We all have to look to him for our daily supply of meat—for finer or fatter never ranged in a forest or smoked in a platter. He does an immense business the year around, particularly in summer, when the army of hungry campers are here. Mr. Gaige employs several men and runs two delivery wagons to supply the numerous ranches and families for miles around. The eldest son, Walter, is following in his father's footsteps and possesses the same shrewd business abilities, and, in partnership with S. Lewis, is conducting a meat market in Sonoma. Mrs. Gaige is a most engaging and lovely lady and a leading light in the Congregational Church, as are her two charming daughters. Miss Alpha has just recovered from a long and tedious illness and Miss Emma is attending the High School in Santa Rosa. The youngest son, a bright, wide awake school boy, is yet under the paternal roof.

Glen Ellen, January 30, 1903.

Death of Mrs. Pellissier's Brother in Reno.

Henry Pellissier of the Lawrence Villa was summoned by telegraph to Reno, Nevada, on Sunday of last week by the serious and afterward fatal illness of John P. Appathic, brother of Mrs. Pellissier. The young man, who was only 25 years of age, was suffering from pneumonia when Mr. Pellissier reached his bedside and expired on the following Wednesday. Mr. Pellissier reports a terrible mortality in Reno since the first of the year. He was told by Dr. Toland, a practicing physician, that in twenty-one days since January 1st 127 deaths had occurred in that city. Many people are down with pneumonia and the end is not yet.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portions of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out of this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Sent for circulars, free.

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NICHELINI WAS IN CONTEMPT.

Judge Burnett Threatened to Send Him to Jail.

Florenzo Nichelini, the well-known and popular young Swiss wine-maker of Agua Caliente, came within an ace of being sent to jail for contempt of court last Monday.

Nichelini is the defendant in a civil suit instituted against him by an old man named Malonchi, whom he has housed, fed and clothed for many years.

During the progress of the case in Judge Burnett's department Nichelini was asked where a certain certificate of deposit had been placed by him. He refused to tell. He was admonished by the Court to answer. He emphatically declined to do so for a second time, saying he would not divulge where the paper was until advised by his counsel to do so. This made Judge Burnett very angry and he called upon the Bailiff to bring the Sheriff into court to have the obstinate witness taken into custody. Attorney Swain, however, came to Nichelini's rescue and advised him to answer the question. This he did and the note was soon in the hands of the Court.

This case when it comes to trial promises to be an interesting one. Mr. Nichelini's attorneys are R. M. Swain and Rollo Leppo. The plaintiff is represented by Wm. F. Cowan.

MRS. RICH WILL RECOVER

Her Condition Changed for the Better Sunday.

Mrs. Vinne Morris Rich, wife of Dr. G. D. Rich, who was on the verge of the grave for several days last week, will now recover. Mrs. Rich, Hennessey and Thomson worked nobly to save her life and for several days and nights two of the three physicians never left her bedside. As we are going to press mother and babe are both doing well.

This will be good news to the hundreds of friends of Dr. and Mrs. Rich in this valley.

Why is This Thus?

The weather the past month has been the coldest experienced in this valley for years. Large quantities of stove wood is being consumed to make shivering humanity comfortable and the way one's wood pile is diminishing is a caution.

Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure. No pay. Price 25 cents.

Cloverdale Citrus Fair.

The eleventh annual Fair of the Cloverdale Citrus Fair Association will open in that place February 19th and close on February 23d. The usual "one fare for the round trip" on the California Northwestern Railway will enable many people to attend who would otherwise hold back on account of the expense. The display of citrus fruits promises to be more attractive this season than ever. Farmers in this valley who have orange and lemon groves should compete for the cash prizes offered by the association, which range upward from \$1.00 to \$25.

ORANGES FOR SALE at 15 cents a doz. Apply INDEX-TRIBUNE office.

Married in Kenwood.

Mr. Benjamin M. Bones and Miss Nellie M. Bishop of Glen Ellen were married in the Congregational Church at Kenwood, last Thursday, by Rev. R. B. Cherrington.

Get the Most Out of Your Food

You don't and can't if your stomach is weak. A weak stomach does not digest all that is ordinarily taken into it. It gets tired easily; and what it fails to digest is wasted.

Among the signs of a weak stomach are uneasiness after eating, fits of nervous headache, and disagreeable belching.

"I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla at different times for stomach troubles, and a run down condition of the system, and have been greatly benefited by its use. I would not be without it in my family. I am troubled especially in summer with weak stomach and nausea and find Hood's Sarsaparilla invaluable." E. B. HICKMAN, W. Chester, Pa.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills Strengthen and tone the stomach and the whole digestive system.

REMINISCENT.

An "Old Settler's" Recollections.

Tells About the Old Pioneers of Glen Ellen, the Late Capt. and Mrs. Justi.

MR. EDITOR:

I have read with deep interest Chappie's descriptions of the various homes in our romantic valley. Bless the boy. He has stirred up many sweet and tender memories of the past that, like Banquo's ghost, "will not down." Like an old war horse, who, after many years of rest and quiet, again hears martial music and is fired with the old spirit of activity and rushes off eager for the fray, so, for the sake of "old lang syne," I take up my pen—long laid aside—to add my mite and pay tribute to old and respected friends, some of whom have passed away. Ah, Chappie! since your mention of the "quaint, picturesque Justi ranch," I have each week eagerly looked for something more from you on this subject, for there is no place in the valley or no people so identified with the early history of Glen Ellen as this excellent family. There is scarcely an early settler in our valley who has not had interwoven in his web of life some bright threads of kindly love, friendly sympathy, some places made smooth and even by neighborly assistance, wise counsel and often substantial aid tendered in a delicate manner that left nothing—no feeling of humiliation to the recipient from this eminent family.

Capt. Charles Justi was born in Saxony, a descendant of Count Justi of Italy, who, in early youth left his native land for political reasons and settled and married in Germany.

Capt. Justi came to this country when a young man. After spending a few years in New York he went to Charleston, South Carolina, where he won and married a beautiful young lady of that place, but a native of Bavaria, Germany. They were among the earliest settlers of San Francisco, where Capt. Justi engaged in watch making, a business he had previously followed.

Although doing a very prosperous business the charms of the country lured him away, and he bought the steamer "Georgia," running between San Francisco and the Embarcadero. This was the only connecting link between this part of the country and the outside world, and the boat made daily trips loaded with freight and passengers. These were jolly times and a trip to San Francisco an event of a lifetime. Charmed with this country, its fine scenery, healthful climate, the subtle, sensuous influence of grand old hills, pure air and blue skies, he purchased a Spanish grant of nearly four hundred acres and built this "quaint picturesque home" and became the leading man of the Sonoma Valley. Here is the birthplace of most of his children.

Capt. Justi was a man of sterling worth and irreproachable honor. He enjoyed the friendship and held the confidence of all the first men of this country. His home was the headquarters of all people of note—a home of plenty and comfort. In those days servants were scarce and Mrs. Justi was kept very busy attending to her family of small children, visitors and friends.

Her cooking was the acme of perfection and her German dinners a dream of delight and satisfaction, the remembrance of which will never leave me. A lady whose piercing black eyes saw through all shams, fine cut features, with hands so finely modeled one wondered how they could accomplish so much.

Capt. Justi was the first Postmaster of this burg. The office was secured for him by influential friends without his knowledge. He held the position twelve or thirteen years. When traveling over the hills on horseback one stormy night the animal slipped and fell over a precipice, carrying his rider with him. Capt. Justi was so seriously injured that it disabled him from attending to the business, which under his care had increased to a great extent. He resigned and turned the Postoffice over to Mr. Gibson, another early settler. Capt. Justi never recovered from the effects of this accident and it eventually caused his death, which was not only a great loss to his family but was felt by the whole community.

Five years ago a daughter, Mrs. James Gibson, died after a short illness and generous, merry-hearted Freddie, a young man of great promise, fell a victim to pneumonia and was buried within a week of his sister's death.

Four years ago Mrs. Justi, after a long life of usefulness and good deeds, went to her reward. She was for many years a member of the Lutheran Church and her long pathway was strewn with many flowers of good deeds and kindly acts.

the original Levi Strauss & Co's Copper-riveted Overalls

The old Justi house now shelters all that are left of this once large family but one son, Charles, who has settled in another State. Children's happy voices are echoing under the old roof tree once more. Mrs. Merlin-jones, with her three beautiful children, are spending the winter at her childhood's home. This lady resembles her beautiful mother in many ways. The same proud, stately bearing softened by cordial gracious manners and a winning smile, a lady of fine executive abilities and very domestic habits. No German house frau can excel her in the care of a home. Miss Hulda is just recovering from a long illness. She is a young lady of high Christian character, cheerful disposition, strong, clear mentality and the blue blood inherited from her noble ancestors runs in her veins pure and strong. The mantle of the father has fallen upon his son Leo, who has inherited his active temperament, German thrift and Italian chivalry, with a tender, respectful regard for the weaker sex, the ready manly aid for all in need—a specimen of perfect manhood.

AN OLD SETTLER.

Glen Ellen, Jan. 30, 1903.

Landslide at the San Rafael Tunnel.

The passenger and mail train of the California Northwestern Railway was five hours late last Tuesday evening, arriving in Sonoma at 12:30 instead of at 7:20, the scheduled time. The delay was caused by a big landslide at the north entrance to the San Rafael tunnel.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

We sell the greatest of blood purifiers, ACKER'S BLOOD ELIXIR, under a positive guarantee. It will cure all chronic and other blood poisons. If you have eruptions or sores on your body, or are pale, weak or run down, it is just what you need. We refund money if you are not satisfied. 50 cents and \$1.00. R. G. Shoults, druggist.

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The Daily Bulletin and Index-Tribune \$7 per year.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Douglas Church is now convalescing from a recent severe illness. Henry Weber was among Sonoma's visitors to the metropolis Wednesday.

Clarence Cheney, the pleasant clerk in Hotz's dry goods store, visited San Francisco three days this week.

Mrs. Brandt and little daughter returned to their home at Vineyard Thursday from San Francisco where they had been visiting.

Horace Appleton, Jr., was in town Sunday. He took part in the Orchestral Society's concert in San Rafael last Tuesday night, his number being a trumpet solo.

The Ladies Whist Club met at the residence of Mrs. Susie Enos on Thursday afternoon of last week. Doris Dorman won the first prize and Mrs. B. F. Campbell carried off the booty prize.

Mary J. Soldate, who resides on her farm near Petaluma, was married the other day to Michale Giacomini. Mrs. Soldate is the mother of Orlando Soldate, well-known in this place, and is said to be worth \$100,000.

Card of Thanks.

We most gratefully thank our friends and neighbors for their kind sympathy and assistance tendered us during the sickness and subsequent death of our mother, Mrs. Mary Cook. B. L. Cook.

Mrs. M. POHLEY.

Mrs. A. A. SMITH.

Sonoma, January 30th, 1903.

CONSUMPTION:

the most dreaded and deadly of all diseases, as well as pneumonia, and all lung trouble are relieved at once and cured by Aker's English Remedy, "the king of Cough Cures." Cures Coughs and Colds in a day. 25 cents. Your money back if dissatisfied. Write for free sample. W. H. HOOKER & Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by R. G. Shoults, druggist.

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SUCCESSOR TO
M. Zoberbier in Agua Caliente

Likes to inform his many friends and acquaintances in Sonoma valley that he has removed his saloon across the county road, opposite the old place, next to his merchandise store.

Index-Tribune.

SONOMA, FEBRUARY 7, 1903.

H. E. GRANICK, EDITOR.

SUPPRESSION OF THE CODLIN MOTH.

The codling-moth, the chief existing threat to the fruit industry of the Pacific Coast, is to be fought systematically by the Agricultural Department of the University of California. The best time of the year for preventive measures differs widely in various parts of California, because of the diversity of climate, and can be determined only by special observations in each region. The fruit growers of California will be asked to co-operate in the University's experiments by recording the results of their observations.

The fight against the codling-moth will be begun in the neighborhood of Watsonville. Three hundred breeding-cages—small vials filled with the cocoons of the moth and closed with wire gauze—will be distributed among orchardists. The fruit growers will fasten the breeding cages in the crotches of fruit-trees and watch them daily in order to determine the time of hatching under natural conditions. The results will be reported in accordance with detailed directions supplied by the University.

Means of suppression of the codling moth will be considered next week at a meeting in Spokane, Washington, of the Entomologists of the Pacific Slope. The University will be represented there by Professor C. W. Woodworth of the Entomological Department.

EVERY county official in Sonoma, except Superior Judges Burnett and Seawell, have had their salaries tied up for an indefinite period. It appears that District Attorney Pond was called upon to render an opinion upon the constitutionality of certain provisions of the County Government Act, and in giving that opinion he has declared the provisions in question as unconstitutional. The County Auditor, in order to protect himself and his bondsmen, has refused to audit the salary claims of the county officials for the month of January, and even if he did the County Treasurer says he would refuse to pay them, as it is a case of "me too" with him until a decision can be had from the courts in the matter. In the meantime "my uncle" will no doubt come to the relief of our "strapped officials."

E. W. DAVIS, ex-County Superintendent of Schools, is lying very low at his home in Santa Rosa and it is feared he will die.

Town Improvements.

There has been more building and other improvements going on in Sonoma the past six months than at any one time in its history. Adler's new block has been completed within that time and C. Dal-Pogetto and J. P. Weems have erected cottages on Broadway.

At the present time L. Quartaroli is erecting a handsome two-story hotel on Napa street and S. Schocken is improving his recent purchase on the corner of First street East and Spain street. This latter, which was sold to him by Mrs. Amelia Bates, will be converted into two dwelling houses.

Cinco & Martinoni, who recently purchased the old Columbus Saloon property, which adjoins their hotel on the west, will convert the building into sleeping apartments as an annex to the Toscano Hotel. The building has been raised high in the air with jackscrews and it will be converted into a two-story affair for the accommodation of summer patrons.

In addition to these improvements many more are contemplated the coming spring.

CONSUMPTION.

the most dreaded and deadly of all diseases, as well as pneumonia, and all lung trouble are relieved at once and cured by Aker's English Remedy, "the king of Cough Cures." Cures Coughs and Colds in a day. 25 cents. Your money back if dissatisfied. Write for free sample. W. H. Hooker & Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by R. G. Shoults, druggist.

Help Wanted—Salesmen to sell \$20 typewriter. Will do equally as good work as any \$100 machine. Good pay to hustlers. 710 New Life Bldg, Chicago.

A Timely Rescue.

About 11 o'clock last Sunday night Mrs. Gordenker of Glen Ellen, who resides on the banks of Calabasas creek, was aroused by loud shouts for help, which came from the opposite side of the stream. Hastening in the direction of the cries she discovered a man on the other side of the stream who was evidently lost and endeavoring to cross the creek, which had been converted into a raging torrent by the recent rains. Securing the assistance of a hired man and with the aid of a long pole succeeded in getting him across the creek. He proved to be a Swede residing in Kenwood. He was wet to the skin, shivering with cold and gloriously drunk. The man explained that while on his way home he lost his way, was thrown from his cart into the creek and his mule ran away. Mrs. Gordenker took the man to her home and revived him with liberal cups of hot coffee. He departed the next morning in search of his missing nag, none the worse for his adventure.

A Bargain and no Mistake

For Sale—Four-room cottage stone cellar, barn, chicken house, one acre in alfalfa, fine well of water, garden, etc. This place is yours for \$850. As it is located in a desirable part of town within a block of the Grammar school, it is a bargain and no mistake. Apply to H. H. Granice, Sonoma.

Daily Examiner and Index-Tribune, \$8.80 per year.

The Daily Chronicle and Index-Tribune \$8.80 per year.

L. Quartaroli transacted business in San Francisco last Saturday.

The Congregational Church building is receiving a new coat of paint which will greatly improve the appearance of the imposing structure.

Emilio Pinelli, formerly a baker of this place, but now a member of the Sonoma Wine Association, sold his share of wine to a party in Glen Ellen last week at a top price.

Sick Blood

Feed pale girls on Scott's Emulsion.

We do not need to give all the reasons why Scott's Emulsion restores the strength and flesh and color of good health to those who suffer from sick blood.

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Church Lights and Social Leaders.

Every community, however small, has its group of energetic women, who lead and light the way in every local enterprise. If it is charity, a bazaar, a church fair, or any other benevolent undertaking, they work day and night to make it a success. They are not the women who neglect their homes to serve the public. They simply do double service. Many a husband knows what it is to bring his wife home from a fair or bazaar near the hour of midnight and see her drop, in sheer exhaustion, into the first chair she comes to. While the lights were bright and the talk and laughter were all about



her, she didn't realize her own weariness. But once at home, exhaustion overcame her. If a woman were thoroughly robust, without ache or pain, she could not keep this work up without undermining her health. What shall be said then of those women, who are not strong, who suffer from headache, backache, bearing-down pains, and other consequences of a diseased condition of the womanly organism? And these women are in the great majority. There are few women who are free from diseases peculiar to their sex.

BURNING THE CANDLE AT BOTH ENDS. That expressive saying not only suggests the most rapid form of waste but also the most foolish. When a woman overtaxes her strength in any cause, whether in the enjoyment of social pleasures, or in the service of church or charity, she is rapidly hastening to the end of her public activity.

The proof of this is found right at home. Young matrons who are not dancing any more, church workers who are no more active; these have not stepped aside because of loss of interest but because of lack of strength.

There is not a weak woman who would not like to be made strong again. There is not a sick woman who would not like to be made well. And there is not the least reason, in ninety-eight cases out of every hundred, why women should continue to be weak and sick. The first step to the re-establishment of the general health is to establish the local womanly health.

"I feel that it is only my duty to send you a statement of my case," writes Mrs. Mary E. Wilcox, of Emo (Rainy River), Algoma Co., Ont. "I suffered untold misery for many years with uterine trouble, until I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's good medicine and used the local treatment as advised. I took two bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and two of 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I also sent for one box of your 'Antiseptic and Healing Suppositories.' I have only used two and that was two months ago. Have not had to use any since, but I shall keep them in the house. I would advise every woman who suffers from

ulceration of the uterus and piles to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is the best medicine in the world. Also write to Dr. Pierce for his advice. I have felt better in the past seven months than I have for years. Every month I used to have to go to bed and have hot poultices and take laudanum to ease the pain. I don't go to bed now, nor do I take laudanum. Every spring I used to be troubled with piles, but I did not have any trouble of that kind this spring. I keep Dr. Pierce's Compound Extract of Smart-Weed in the house. It is a wonderful medicine."

THE WAY OF ESCAPE from the diseases which afflict women, is marked by the footsteps of hundreds of thousands of women who have been raised to strength from weakness and from sickness to health, by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It establishes perfect regularity, dries the kidneys, which weaken women, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It cures backache, headache, and the other painful consequences of womanly disease. It tranquilizes the nerves, encourages the appetite, and induces refreshing sleep.

"I feel it my duty to send you this testimony," writes Mrs. Tillie Linney, of Gravel Switch, Marion Co., Ky. "I had been a sufferer from uterine trouble for twelve years, having doctored with the most skillful physicians but finding only temporary relief from medicines prescribed by them. I was advised by a friend to take 'Favorite Prescription,' which I did, and after taking six bottles I find that it has effected a complete cure."

"My niece was troubled with female weakness for about four years before I asked for your advice," writes Mr. J. W. McGregor, of 62d Street and Princeton Ave., Chicago, Ills. "You advised her to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription which she did faithfully for nine months and now we must acknowledge to you that she is a well woman. We cannot thank you enough."

YOU CAN BE CURED by "Favorite Prescription" if your disease is curable by medicine; and the facts show that only two women in every hundred who have given "Favorite Prescription" a fair and faithful trial have failed of a complete cure. Women who have suffered for years and have had the advantages of the most skillful medical treatment, have at last tried "Favorite Prescription" and been cured. Women who had been pronounced incurable, and given up to life-long suffering, have been perfectly and permanently cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

Sick and ailing women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, by letter, free. All correspondence is held in sacred secrecy and the written confidences of women are guarded by the same strict professional privacy observed by Dr. Pierce in verbal consultation with sick women at the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Accept no substitute for "Favorite Prescription" though the dealer says that it is "just as good." If he told the whole truth he'd say the substitute was better—not better for you but better for him, because of the little more profit paid by the sale of less meritorious medicines.

ARE YOU? Then at the expense of one-cent for each year of your life you can pay the expense of mailing a free copy of Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, in paper covers. This great medical work contains more than a thousand large pages and over 700 illustrations, and is sent absolutely free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Send 21 one-cent stamps for the book in paper covers, or thirty-one stamps for the cloth-bound volume. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

Those who have not taken boarders in the past but wish to do so this present season will please advise us not later than February 9th. In sending information please state the name of the place, the proprietor, postoffice address, name of railroad station, distance therefrom, and as to whether or not guests will be met at the depot; the attractions and surroundings in detail, the number that can be accommodated, the terms for adults and for children per week, and if there be any special rates for families or parties. This information is desired for publication in our issue of "Vacation, 1903," for which no charge will be made.

Many people like to sleep in tents. If these are to be supplied, please mention it and also what difference, if any, in the price of board there will be on account of sleeping in tents.

CAMPING

Many of our people are so fixed that they cannot accommodate boarders, but have desirable locations for campers.

Camping is becoming more popular every season and amongst our very best people. Choice spots where families or parties can be by themselves will be in demand, and for which a reasonable charge can be secured.

In giving information please follow the form given above for summer boarders. Campers will want milk, cream, butter, eggs, poultry, fruit and vegetables, and if these can be furnished on the farm please mention it. Do not forget to add "running water," if there be any convenient, as half a day's work with a few sacks of dirt will make a pool for the daily bath.

Must have the information not later than February 9th, 1903, in order to advertise it in our "Vacation, 1903," and for which no charge will be made.

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Notice of Sale

Commissioner on Foreclosure of Mortgage.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, Department 1.

WILLIAM H. DALY, Plaintiff, vs. GEORGE H. H. CORNELIUS, EMILY CORNELIUS, JOHN DOE, RICHARD ROE, HENRY JAMES, MARY DOE, JANE ROE and SUSAN JAMES, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of a decree of foreclosure and sale duly given and made, and an order of sale issued out of the Superior Court, Department No. 1 of the County of Sonoma, State of California, on the 6th day of February, 1903, in the above entitled action, in said Superior Court, where in the above-named plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against the defendants, George H. H. Cornelius and Emily Cornelius, on the 30th day of January, 1903, for the sum of \$2,779.22, which said judgment and decree was on 3th day of February, 1903, recorded in judgment book M of said court, at page 194 (to which judgment and decree reference is hereby made for the terms, conditions and manner of sale, and amounts due), I am commanded to sell all that real property and parcel of land situate, lying and extending between lots numbers 80 and 412, 87 and 413, 106 and 420, 404 and 405, 412 and 413, 420 and 421, 419 and 422, 417 and 424, 418 and 423, 418 and 419, 414 and 422, 422 and 423, 426 and 427. Also, the rectangular pieces of land in said city of Sonoma, being fifty-five feet square, forming the crossings of Washington street and Third-street West, Randolph street and Third-street West, and Randolph street and Fourth-street West. Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

And public notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 3d Day of March, A. D. 1903 at 12 o'clock noon of that day, in front of the County Court House, at the entrance thereof on Fourth street, in the City of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure above mentioned, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment with interest, attorney's fees, costs, and expenses of sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful Gold Coin of the United States. Dated Santa Rosa, California, February 5th, 1903.

J. M. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

PERI E. ALLEN, Attorney for Plaintiff, 1330 California Street, San Francisco, Cal.

Summons.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma.

Anna Mabel Van De Venter, Plaintiff, vs. Fred S. Van De Venter, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, and the Complaint filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County of Sonoma.

The people of the State of California send greeting to Fred S. Van De Venter, defendant.

You are hereby directed to appear, and answer the Complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

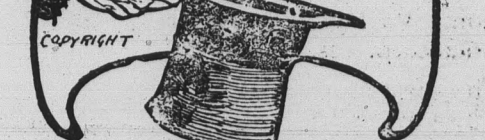
And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or she will apply to the court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Superior Court, this 13th day of January, 1903.

F. L. WRIGHT, County Clerk.

By G. W. LARRY, Deputy Clerk.

O. O. WEBBER, Attorney for Plaintiff.



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SONOMA, FEBRUARY 7, 1903.

CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

And Other Matters of Local Interest.

J. M. Cheney returned home Thursday from San Francisco. Wm. Kerner returned Thursday from a business trip to San Francisco.

Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Thomson spent Friday of last week in San Francisco.

Miss Doris Clewe spent several days this week with relatives in the metropolis.

E. O. Schuler, the well-known cigar manufacturer of Petaluma, was in town Tuesday.

Little Miss Inez Stammers has now entirely recovered from a severe attack of brain trouble.

Miss Hattie Jacobs and Miss Richardson of Agua Caliente were in town Sunday visiting friends.

Miss Louisa Rufus returned Thursday from San Francisco where she visited her sister Mrs. Wicker.

R. F. Wilde, formerly proprietor of the Union Hotel in this place, is now running a hotel in San Rafael.

The Sonoma Valley Woman's Club will give a grand entertainment and hop at Union Hall on Friday evening, March 6th.

Mrs. Robt. P. Hill has been in Fresno this week attending the Federation of Women's Clubs. She represents the Sonoma Valley branch.

The neat cottage built by Mrs. J. P. Weems on Broadway is now ready for occupancy. Prof. Smith and mother have rented it for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Cutter are here from San Francisco for a short time. Mr. Cutter will make some needed improvements on the Ross home near Glen Ellen.

E. T. Allen came up from San Francisco Wednesday and spent the evening at his handsome country home. Mr. Allen and his nephew Geo. Kenyon were visiting at Palo Alto last week.

Mrs. Fred L. Clark and little daughter are down from Southern California and are the guests of Mrs. G. W. Clark, who will shortly leave Sonoma and make her home with her relative in the southland.

BRIEF MENTION

The sidewalk on Schocken avenue is being graveled.

Straw for sale. Apply to H. Rubke, Sebelville.

Doors, windows, blinds, etc., at John Cavanagh's lumber yard, East Petaluma.

Wanted—A good full-blooded bronze gobbler not over two years old; or half bronze and half black. Apply at this office.

Leave your bicycles at the Electric Light power house and have them repaired night or day. Prices reasonable. Work first class.

Humboldt shingles, shakes, lath, mouldings and mill work at John Cavanagh's lumber yard, Washington street, East Petaluma. Money saved by sending your orders there.

Humboldt redwood and Oregon pine lumber at John Cavanagh's lumber yard, Washington street, East Petaluma. Laid down in the Sonoma Valley for less than San Francisco prices.

The scratch of a pin may cause the loss of a limb or even death when blood poisoning results from the injury. All danger of this may be avoided, however, by promptly applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It is an antiseptic and quick healing liniment for cuts, bruises and burns. For sale by F. Duhring.

Little Jennie Hewgett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hewgett, died at the family residence west of town Thursday morning. She was ten years of age. She was a member of the Congregational Sunday School and a faithful little worker. The funeral service will be held in the Congregational Church to-day (Saturday) at 2 P. M.

To Cure a Cold In One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c

We sell the greatest of blood purifiers, ACKER'S BLOOD ELIXIR, under a positive guarantee. It will cure all chronic and other blood poisons. If you have eruptions or sores on your body, or are pale, weak or run down, it is just what you need. We refund money if you are not satisfied. 50 cents and \$1.00. R. G. Shultz, druggist.

IN OUR NEW POSSESSIONS

A Sonoma Boy's Experience in the Philippines.

(Continued.)

MARIA, August 4, 1902. My life is so uneventful that to write anything like genuine news is impossible. So in order to make my letters of respectable size I must draw largely on my imagination. By that I do not mean that I will tell things that are untrue, but that I will tell things that are true, but not very interesting, in as interesting and imaginative style as I can.

I have long been intending to build a boat. This afternoon my purpose came to a head and I took my man Gregoria and a couple of oars and went down to the beach, took the first boat I found lying around loose and went down the coast to where there is some pretty decent timber. By the way, I take back all the mean things I said about Gregoria. He has proved an excellent servant. I believe him to be thoroughly honest and if you knew how rare honest men are in this country, you would see that that characteristic would make him worth his weight in gold. Besides that, he is devoted to my interests. He does all my buying and he is as careful of my money as though it were his own.

Well, we found the trees we wanted and then started out to find men to do the work. We found many idle men in a very short time, but when I told Gregoria to ask them if they wanted to work for me they shook their heads. I asked Gregoria what was the matter. He replied, "These men that live along the coast catch a little fish and raise a little corn. Why should they work?" These men possessed but one piece of clothing and their houses were miserable. Yet why should they work?

The climate prevents them from freezing to death. Why, indeed, should they work? I thought of my excellent Socialistic friends and wished that they might be with me for a little hour and then forever keep silent about the evils of competition. I honestly believe that if some trust should get hold of the land of these people and buy up all the fishing privileges and force them to work the country might some day amount to something. As it stands now, there is too much Socialism. Nobody exploits anybody and as a result nobody does anything. Some day when I return to the States I shall read a lecture before a gathering of the Socialistic Party on "Socialism in the Tropics," and tell them of the land where a man cannot hire idle men, who are in the depth of poverty, to perform a simple and easy task for him even though he is willing to pay twice the customary price.

My health continues to be very good. Sometimes I get very down in spirits, but that is due to the monotony of my life. I am living better, freer, more to my own taste, than I have ever lived before. If I were content to waste my life I should certainly stay here forever, but, as you say, it would be a shame to pass change to a nickel.

DEME GORDEN KER.

Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

Snow Storm.

The people of this valley were treated to the novelty of a snow storm last Tuesday. Early in the morning the flakes came down fast and furiously and for a short time everything was enveloped in a mantle of white. In the afternoon the snow gave way to rain which speedily melted the snow. The surrounding mountains, however, presented quite a wintry aspect Wednesday morning, being covered to a depth of from six inches with snow, which had frozen solid during the night.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, county and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1899.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

THE CITY TRUSTEES.

The "Hydrophobia" Street Lights Downed -- Other Matters of Interest.

The City Trustees, at their regular monthly meeting held Wednesday evening, sat down upon Trustee Breitenbach's street-lighting monstrosity and the Hydro-Carbon Arc Lights will glimmer elsewhere than in Sonoma.

Trustee Breitenbach made a motion for the purchase of five of these out of date arc lights, but the motion got the glassy eye from Trustees Hotz, Pinelli and Ciucci, and died a-borning for want of a second. Thus ends one of the most outlandish street-lighting propositions ever advanced for a town when that town already boasts of a first-class electric lighting system that can at any time be utilized by the City Trustees for lighting the streets and public buildings at half the cost of the Carbon Arc Light Company's service.

The Trustees were called to order by President J. E. Poppe, all the members being present.

The minutes of the previous meeting having been read and one correction made in L. Maffei's bill of \$10.50 in the claimant's favor, the following claims were ordered paid:

James H. Albertson, salary, etc. \$15.50
D. Basaglia, labor, 2.00
J. B. Small, salary, 25.00
S. Schocken, hauling rock, 8.00

Total, \$50.56

An additional rebate of \$6 was allowed on firemen's poll taxes.

All retail liquor dealers, who have not filed a bond within the past two years, on motion of Trustee Breitenbach, will be required to file a new bond before March 1st, 1903, the bond to hold good for two years.

The Chief of the fire department was authorized to purchase a lifting jack for the department.

The bill of the Hydro Carbon Arc Light Company, for \$30.63, was ordered paid on motion of Trustee Breitenbach, seconded by Trustee Pinelli.

President Poppe was authorized to sell a quantity of gasoline recently purchased by the city for experimenting with the hydro carbon street lights.

The following resolution was introduced in writing by Trustee Breitenbach in his efforts to cripple the local electric light company at the expense of the city's taxpayers:

Be It Resolved, That this Board of Trustees call for bids for five Hydro Carbon Arc lights of 100 candle power or more. Such as are on exhibition on our streets to be placed in position and in proper working order to the satisfaction of the President of this Board. Bids to be opened at the next regular meeting of this Board. Board to reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

This motion to foist an expensive and antediluvian street-lighting system on the city having failed, Trustee Breitenbach took a new tack and moved that the city purchase ONE of those arc lights for the sum of \$99.95. The price demanded for one of these lights by the seller is \$100 but in the generosity of his soul and to further his scheme Trustee Breitenbach offered to pay the five cents difference out of his own pocket. The motion, however, was "downed in its tracks" as no Trustee would second it and President Poppe, as presiding officer, was powerless to go to the rescue of his henchman's pet scheme.

An ordinance establishing the grade of Spain street, between First street West and First-street East, was introduced by Trustee Breitenbach and passed to second reading.

The following communication from the Woman's Club was read by the Clerk:

Sonoma, Feb. 4, 1903.

To the Board of Trustees of Sonoma—Dear Sirs: At a recent meeting of the Sonoma Valley Woman's Club I was instructed to address a communication to your honorable body requesting the enforcement of the Ordinance relating to stock running at large in the Plaza. The Club intends planting a portion of the Plaza in lawn this spring and you know our efforts will be vain if cattle are allowed to graze there.

Knowing that you are equally interested in the welfare of Sonoma we ask you to co-operate with us in this work of beautifying the Plaza. Besides the lawn we expect to border the walks with flowering plants. We have graveled these walks at a great expense, but we feel repaid in knowing that pedestrians can cross the Plaza without sinking in the mud. We will leave the matter of cleaning the walks to your honorable body.

Believing we will receive your hearty co-operation in our work, we remain

Respectfully Yours,

SONOMA VALLEY WOMAN'S CLUB.

By ALICE WAGNER, Corr. Sec'y.

The bid of L. Quartaroli for putting in 300 feet of stone curbing on Napa street was accepted and he was awarded the contract.

A communication was received from Robt. P. Hill, Clerk of the Sonoma High School, calling the attention of the Trustees to the bad condition of the sidewalk on the east side of Broadway between the Burke residence and the High School building.

The City Clerk's semi-annual report was read and referred to the Finance Committee.

On motion of Trustee Breitenbach the electric light company was ordered to keep the waste oil

and water from its power house from running into the street.

On motion the Clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for 651 lineal feet of stone curbing to be laid on the east side of Broadway.

The Board then adjourned.

Glen Ellen

From Chapple

Mrs. I. M. Merlin Jones spent Monday in Sonoma.

G. H. Hoag was in Santa Rosa the early part of the week.

A. C. Woods transacted business in Santa Rosa one day this week.

Miss Hulda Justi has fully recovered from her late sickness and is able to go out driving.

The next meeting of the Dunbar Improvement Club will be held at Mervyn Hall on February 28th.

P. Gouallhardou braved the storm Tuesday to visit this burg. He is the new proprietor of the Elite Hotel, Sonoma.

W. L. Ashe and J. Chauvet paid a visit to Santa Rosa Tuesday to meet the Supervisors in regard to sprinkling the county road the coming year.

W. H. Doty, the skillful optician who travels over the country in his own conveyance, is now making his annual visit to this burg. It is needless to say he is well patronized, for all know him and many have been served by him in former years who are enthusiastic in his praise. He is a graduate of the Ophthalmic College of Chicago and has a diploma from that institution. His home on wheels is the most convenient and elaborate imaginable. It is like one of the palace steam cars built for the magnates of the railroads or wealthy families who wish a home on wheels surrounded by all the conveniences and luxuries to which they are accustomed. This is a miniature edition.

One must see it to understand the compactness, the suitability and beauty of this little home. Every nook and corner is utilized. Although it is not much larger than a common spring wagon its equipments are perfect. A comfortable bed runs across the front next to the driver's seat which has an extension that is opened at night and projects over one of the front wheels.

This is covered with fine leather, as is also the rest of the conveyance, which keeps out the cold and rain. Under this bed are lockers for supplies—canned vegetables, fruit and everything necessary for a first-class table. A nickel plated alcohol lamp supplies hot water and heat also. A stationary wash stand, a chair and table complete the furnishings. The bright nickel plated trimmings give it an air of cheerfulness and utility.

The Dunbar Improvement Club had its monthly meeting last Saturday afternoon at the Dunbar school house. On account of the inclemency of the weather it was not as well attended as it should have been owing to the importance of the weighty subjects under consideration. The Glen Ellenites were conspicuous by their absence. However, the business progressed just the same. President Froment called the meeting to order and after the different committees had reported Mr. Will L. Ashe introduced a resolution to have a committee of five appointed to go before the Board of Supervisors, now in session in Santa Rosa, and urge the sprinkling of the county road with either oil or water, the coming season, for the comfort of the traveling public. Mr. Ashe, in his usual stately and dignified manner, made a very able and telling speech in support of his resolution, which was unanimously carried.

Mr. Leo Justi, in a spirited manner, brought before the club's notice the disgraceful condition of the Glen Ellen Plaza. The entire club to a man joined with him in a hearty and enthusiastic spirit and the state of affairs was discussed in a forceful and convincing manner. The Secretary, Frederick Quien, was instructed to notify Roadmaster Cowan to see that the part under his jurisdiction was cleaned up and made presentable. This movement will meet with the hearty approbation of the whole community for the "Star Spangled Banner" never cast its shadows over a more unsightly heap of rubbish than has been dumped here by people who would not allow anything so filthy and unsightly in their back yards, but have put it where all must look upon it who cross our fine iron bridge. Old pots, battered pans, empty cans, rusty kettles, ash heaps, filthy rags, broken crockery and bottles and old stovepipe are but a small part of the numerous disgraceful things paraded on this most conspicuous spot of the whole town—the one spot that should be kept clean, green and inviting. The spirit of patriotism that prompted the raising of our noble flagstaff and glorious flag should be strong enough to keep the surrounding grounds in at least a presentable condition.

Our valley so fair and so lovely, God's footstool so blessed and so good With its hills of such heights And profusion—its scenery So wild and so grand.

The dear little homes Scattered through it, Where loved one's dwell Happy and safe Old Glory, the pride of the Nation, Floats proudly above us in peace. 'Tis the emblem of strength And protection—an emblem Of freedom and power. Thank—oh for the lesson It teaches—the truest May claim and enjoy We unfurl the bright banner In gladness, When our hearts overflow with success. When we wish to do honor to heroes To show our deep love and respect, Dear Old Glory carries the story. As it floats on the clear mountain air It proclaims the love and devotion Of its children, so faithful and true; And when in deep sorrow and mourning Our hearts are bowed in distress, Old Glory is lowered, in sadness. At half-mast—we all know the rest. God bless the Old Flag! may it ever From its subjects receive the respect That hearts true and loyal should give it, The Nation's proud emblem of strength.

CHAPPLE.

Glen Ellen, February 5, 1903.

COMPARATIVE TABLE

SEASON'S RAINFALL

Precipitation Up to February 1st 17.81 Inches.

Mr. Robt. Hall, local U. S. Signal Service Observer, has compiled for our readers the following comparative tabulated statement of the season's rainfall up to February 1st:

Precipitation for the month, 5.46 inches; for the season, 17.81; same time last year, 10.30.

THE NATIVE SONS

OF GLEN ELLEN.

To Give a Grand Ball in Mervyn Hall.

Glen Ellen Parlor, No. 102, N. S. G. W., will give a grand ball in Mervyn Hall, on Saturday evening, February 21st. This promises to be the social event of the winter season in the upper part of the valley and will undoubtedly bring out most of the party-going people of the valley.

The floor will be under the management of G. H. Hoag, who will be assisted by Paul Noonan, J. H. Weise and F. M. Luttrell, all of whom are popular young natives of Glen Ellen and vicinity.

We trust the devotees of Terpsichore of Sonoma will be well represented at this ball, as a good time is assured to all who attend.

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A New Enterprise.

Mrs. H. C. Lutgens has leased the vacant store in Adler's fire proof building on Napa street and will open up a stationery and variety store on or about February 16th. The store will be an up-to-date establishment and will supply a long-felt want in this town. There is no use of talking, Sonoma has been picking up wonderfully in a business sense the past year and in engaging in this enterprise Mrs. Lutgens is sure to succeed.

Dr. Hennessey Buys Property.

Dr. E. Z. Hennessey has purchased from Eli T. Sheppard, the Winslow block in Napa for \$22,000. The property is one of the finest in the business part of that city. Both the buyer and seller are well-known in this valley. Mr. Sheppard for many years was the owner of the Hearst ranch near Agua Caliente.

Hunting notices printed at this office. The very latest form.

All Stuffed Up

That's the condition of many sufferers from catarrh, especially in the morning. Great difficulty is experienced in clearing the head and throat.

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To cure catarrh, treatment must be constitutional—alterative and tonic.

"I was afflicted with catarrh. I took no kind of different kinds, giving each a fair trial, but gradually grew worse until I could hardly hear, taste or smell. I then concluded to try HENNESSY'S SARSAPARILLA, and after taking five bottles I was cured and have not had any return of the disease since." EUGENE FORBES, Lebanon, Kan.

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SUPERIOR COURT NOTES

A Busy Calendar Day in Both Departments.

In Department One of the Superior Court on Monday Judge Seawell disposed of the following matters:

A. K. Baldwin was appointed administrator on the estate of Charity Jackson in a bond of \$100.

Benjamin Patchett was appointed executor of the will of J. A. Patchett and Mrs. Mary A. Patchett was named as executrix without bonds.

Carl A. Yordi was appointed administrator on the estate of Alfred H. Yordi in a bond of \$10,000. Lorin Freeman will administer upon the estate of Mrs. Clara Baker in a bond of \$725.

The petition to sell real estate of the estate of Benjamin Harrington was granted.

T. S. Merchant was appointed administrator on the estate of May L. Merchant in a bond of \$1440.

The final account was settled and distribution ordered of the estate of Richard E. Tomlin.

Frank Steele will administer upon the estate of Catherine Steele in a bond of \$2,950.

A sale of property in the estate of James H. Abehire was ordered, and a bond of \$500 was required.

Probate matters continued: Estates of Samuel L. Brown, Olivia Morillo and Edward Christian to February 9th.

The estate of N. C. Irwin was transferred to Department Two.

These civil matters went over: Guglielmetti vs. Barry, Gagliardo vs. Barry, Belvail vs. Belvail and Yordi vs. Yordi to February 9.

The case of McConathy vs. Sink came up on demurrer and motion to strike out.

An order of sale of property of the estate of Matthew W. King was granted and a bond of \$2,500 was required.

The cases set for trial were: Gerdes vs. Mulgrew for March 5; Jellet vs. Menery for March 24; Jellet vs. Santa Rosa Bank for March 25.

In the action of Elias A. Hoadley vs. Sarah Shaw et al the sale of property was confirmed, and the sum of \$5,200 was distributed.

The action of Robert Thomas vs. Salmon Creek Lodge was dropped from the calendar to be restored on motion.

Error was confessed and five days allowed to amend in the action of Adcock vs. Adcock.

The plaintiff was allowed to file an amended complaint in the action of Malonchi vs. Nichelini.

The trial of the action of King vs. National Bank, was reset for February 18.

The motion and demurrer in the action of Purrington vs. Purrington were dropped to be restored on motion.

The final account was settled in the estate of Henry Metz.

These matters were continued: Calder vs. Swain to February 9; estate of N. C. Irwin to February 10; Fisherman's Bay Company vs. McMillen to February 9; Hargreaves vs. Hargreaves to February 9.

THE WINTER ROUTE EAST.

An erroneous impression prevails that because the Rocky Mountains have a high elevation, the winter climate is cold and snowy. The fact is the average precipitation of moisture during the entire year is less than fifteen inches, the danger from snow blockades on the railroads very slight. This is especially true of the Denver & Rio Grande, over which System travel has gone with less interruption for the past ten winters than upon the majority of lines popularly supposed to be free from such delays.

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